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**DETAILED ACTION**

1. This office action is in response to a failure of applicant to respond to Office letter mailed on October 18, 2007

In the telephonic conversation on April 30, 2008 with Mr. Carl J. Pellegrini Reg. # 40,766 confirm applicant's intentions of abandoning the application.

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